

Loyal Women Aid Y.M.C.A.

Woman's Auxiliary of Carlton Avenue Branch
at Brooklyn Gave Successful Carnival
For Association's Benefit—Fiscal
Year Ends Without Deficit.

The Carlton avenue branch of the Young Men's Christian association at Brooklyn, N. Y., is fortunate in having an active working woman's auxiliary attached to it. The auxiliary was organized in September, 1907, for the purpose of giving financial assistance to the association, which, besides the small fee charged for membership, is supported entirely by voluntary contributions and funds raised by giving recitals, dinners and other entertainments. The aid which the auxiliary



MRS. W. F. ABBOTT.

has given since its organization has greatly facilitated the work of the association, not alone financially, but by personal help in looking after the needs of the work in other ways. At the first annual dinner of the committee of management they prepared the menu, served it and decorated the audience room with beautiful flowers and potted plants. For more than a year several of their number have served free luncheons to the members of the association at the close of the Sunday afternoon meetings.

In the early fall of 1908 the ladies donated the sum of \$37 to the work at a time when the association was almost in dire need of financial assistance. Feeling that they wanted to make a New Year's gift to the young men's work, the auxiliary, through its able and energetic president, Mrs. William F. Abbott, secured the Bridge Street A. M. E. church in which to give a sacred cantata last December, which was a grand success and from which they realized over \$50, \$40 of which they turned over to Secretary R. P. Hamlin for the association. In order that the association might not close its fiscal year with a deficit, the auxiliary came to the rescue of the men by giving a three nights' miniature carnival in the parlors of the building recently, which proved to be a wise move on their part and was a brilliant financial success.

The committee of arrangements, consisting of forty-two ladies, was headed



MRS. NANNIE E. SIMMONS.

by Mrs. Charlotte A. Nesbitt, chairman. Mrs. Bertha Kemp, treasurer, and Miss Alice F. Thompson, secretary. Those in charge of the various tables were Miss Lydia Baker, Mrs. Bertha Kemp, Mrs. Mary J. Ferguson, Mrs. Bettie Bridges, Miss Elizabeth E. Martin, Miss Mary E. Woodson, Mrs. Ella F. Crowder, Miss Rebecca Reynolds and Miss M. Rooks. The gentlemen's furnishing department was conducted by a committee of young men.

Mrs. Nannie E. Simmons, who assisted at the table of fancy goods, has been a worker for the association almost since its inception, and whenever anything is to be given for its benefit she is sure to be a helper.

NEGRO VOTERS ACTIVE.

Suffrage League at Baltimore Will Fight Disfranchising Amendment.

The Negro Suffrage League of the State of Maryland, at Baltimore, has begun an aggressive fight against the proposed suffrage amendment which has for its purpose the disfranchising of the colored voters of the state. Mass meetings will be held and an effort made to organize the voters throughout the state and also enlist the support of all the white voters who believe in justice and equality before the law to vote against the amendment when it comes before the people at the coming fall election. To that end the league has sent broadcast the following address to the people of Maryland:

"This proposed amendment, its history, its every discussion and its main purpose, is to disfranchise the Negro voters of this state because they are Negroes, and for this reason, so freely expressed by the supporters of the amendment, it is clearly a violation of the constitution of the United States.

"The educational and property qualifications supposed to apply to all voters, both white and colored, in no way present the exact intention of the amendment, it is clearly a violation of no white voter need apply for registration under either clause, and all white voters and no colored voters will find refuge under the grandfather clause, which will guarantee every white voter his vote.

"Thus every white voter is protected without test as to educational or property qualifications and every colored voter deprived of his vote unless so tested, which is an absolute denial to the colored voter of his political rights. Aside from the legal phase of this amendment, it is not only an act of injustice to the colored voters of this state, but it will put a lasting stain of dishonor on white citizens.

"It is manifestly unfair to deprive us of the ballot, which is admitted to be an essential to all other people for their civil development and for the protection of their lives and property.

"If this amendment becomes the election law of Maryland it will discourage intelligent, law abiding people of the state, who are doing what they can to better the masses of their people.

"It will also increase the responsibility of the white people, who will either have to carry the burden of the colored people or permit us to decline in moral and civil life because they take from us the privilege to elect state and municipal officials so that we can demand from them protection because we have the right to vote.

"In this new election scheme we see it can, if it becomes the law of the state, be so applied as to make the colored people more dependent and subjects of greater persecution than we now have to endure. The laws for the protection of humanity condemn all schemes devised by the stronger element of society to oppress the weak. Therefore we protest against this proposed amendment, which we believe has for its intent to deprive the colored people of Maryland of civil and political liberty and to close the door of hope against us as a race."

After stating that the colored people of Maryland pay taxes on over \$4,000,000 worth of real estate the address concludes:

"We therefore urge upon the voters of all nationalities and party affiliations in the state to consider our protest in the light of fairness and justice."

PRaises Negro Soldiers.

General Burt, Who Has Commanded Them, Commends Brownsville Bill.

Sitting in the lobby of the Belmont hotel at New York a few nights ago, Brigadier General Andrew S. Burt, retired, commended the action of congress in giving the Negro soldiers who were dropped from the army on account of the "shooting up" of Brownsville, Tex., an opportunity to prove their innocence.

"I commanded a regiment of Negroes for a long time before I became a brigadier general, and I tell you they were the right sort," he said. "I have always found the majority of Negro enlisted men to compare more than favorably with white soldiers. I believe it will be found that a very large percentage of those who apply for reenlistment will be able to show that they had no connection with the shooting."

General Burt said all the officers assigned to the command of Negro troops soon learned to respect and really love them and that there were no more loyal soldiers in the army than the colored enlisted men.

Marshall Seeks Recordship.

"Colonel Marshall is a fine man. I intend to present his name to the president," said Senator Shelby M. Cullom recently concerning John R. Marshall, colonel of the Eighth infantry, Illinois national guard, a Negro regiment.

Reports have it that Colonel Marshall is going to make a strong fight to land as recorder of deeds for the District of Columbia. The position pays \$4,000 per annum and is now held by Hon. John C. Dancy of North Carolina.

Clubwomen Hear Mrs. Barnett.

Mrs. Ida B. Wells-Barnett, the well known anti-lynching crusader who came from Chicago recently, delivered an able address before the New York Federation of Colored Women's Clubs at Bethel A. M. E. church, New York city, a few Sundays ago on "Higher Ideals." A large audience was present to hear Mrs. Barnett, for it was in New York, at Lyric hall, where she first made her bow as an anti-lynching lecturer some fifteen years ago.

Success In Architecture.

Enviable Record of W. Sidney Pittman, Designer of Y. M. C. A. Building at Washington and of Other Costly Structures.

Architect W. Sidney Pittman's design for the \$75,000 Colored Young Men's Christian association building at Washington was accepted several months ago, and today the building is nearing completion. The massive



W. SIDNEY PITTMAN.

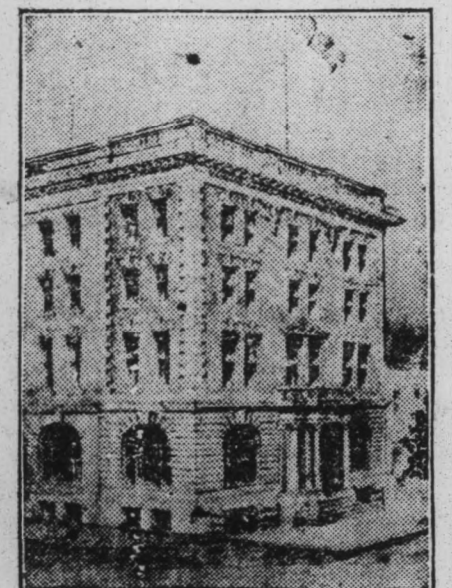
steel structure is disappearing day after day as the brickmasons progress with their work, and within a short while the most imposing Young Men's Christian association building in the world for Afro-Americans will be completed.

The story of the rise of Architect Pittman is worthy of attention. He has a record in architecture that is enviable. Here are a few of the important buildings, with their cost, which were designed by him: Huntington Memorial building, Tuskegee Institute, Alabama, \$85,000; Negro building, Jamestown exposition, \$45,000; Garfield public school building, Washington, \$90,000, and the Young Men's Christian association building, \$75,000.

This is only a partial list of the many buildings that young Mr. Pittman has designed. He came to Washington about four years ago and hung out his shingle. The spirit of an adventurer was in him, for architecture was a field in which the Negro had seldom ventured. Mr. Pittman is an honor graduate of Drexel Institute. He also worked his way through Tuskegee's courses in wheelwrighting, structural work, architectural drawing and normal work. Time has proved the wisdom of his course. His standing is now well established as an architect of the first magnitude.

In harmony with his professional training are the business ideas of Mr. Pittman. He is a business enthusiast. In social and political Washington he dares sound the trumpet call to business activity. He is president of the local Business league, and his vigilance has already awakened a new interest among Washington business men.

With such a building as the colored men in Washington now have for association work, with its thorough equipment, many opportunities for advancement in education, physical culture and religious instruction will be open to them. It is the desire of the



PARTIAL VIEW NEW Y. M. C. A. BUILDING.

management to reach and help materially the large number of young men already in the city and the many who are constantly coming, some to take responsible positions, some seeking places of employment and others who come on extended visits. The Young Men's Christian association will therefore become the social center for these strangers and sojourners. It will be more than that—it will be a place of safety, with all the comforts of home and friendly associations. Washington needs such a place as truly as any other large city.

Fair Treatment From Taft.

Bishop John Wesley Gaines of the African Methodist Episcopal church seeks to breathe easier since his recent conference with President Taft. He says: "I am convinced that the president will treat the Negro race fairly. I mean that he will do as well by us as his predecessors. We hold a good many offices in the south and hope to keep them."

MILLION WOMEN IN LINE.

Great Work of Miss Burroughs, Who Knows How to Get Results.

Miss Nannie H. Burroughs is one of the most forceful characters in Afro-American public life today, full of good works and altruistic aims. She is the corresponding secretary of the woman's convention auxiliary to the national Baptist convention at Louisville, Ky., and also secretary of the Douglass improvement company. Eight years ago she was elected to the former position. Prior to this time futile attempts had been made to get the Baptist women of the country together. In eight short years Miss Burroughs has welded into line quite a million women, and today the convention of which she is corresponding secretary is the largest of its kind on the American continent. This woman has learned that there is great power in organization, and then she has also learned how to get results by making people do things. In discussing the matter recently Miss Burroughs said:

"During 1909 we must—
"Build a \$2,500 mission home at Cape Town, South Africa.
"Support Miss Jeanie G. Zomtunzi, a teacher at Middleburg, South Africa.
"Keep two African girls in school here.

"Contribute to the education of several African boys.
"Contribute to the general work of the foreign mission board.

"Build a \$75,000 training school for women and girls.
"Support a woman missionary in the Panama zone.

"Labor more earnestly for the moral, intellectual and spiritual uplift of women and girls throughout this country."

Perhaps the most stupendous of these undertakings is that of building the great training school at Washington. Miss Burroughs urged her organization to attempt this work, and it is indeed gratifying to note that they have nearly finished paying for a six acre tract of land in the District of Columbia and will begin building in a few months. This is the first time that our women have attempted to help



MISS NANNIE H. BURROUGHS.

themselves on such a large scale, and it is reasonable to believe that their efforts will be encouraged by thousands of people who believe in helping those who first try to help themselves.

The Douglass improvement company, of which Miss Burroughs is secretary, is portraying in pictures and calendars the higher life of the race. Hundreds of business men are taking to the idea, and the indications are that the calendar business of this company next year will run high in the thousands. Companies that burlesque our race by making hideous pictures will find a decrease in their business if the Douglass improvement company keeps up its high standard.

All this constructive work that means so much to the race is being engineered by this young woman. She has an international reputation as a platform speaker.

The Negroes' Chief Enemy.

From the temporary headquarters of the American tuberculosis exhibition at Pensacola, Fla., the director sends out the following statement:

"The greatest enemy of the colored race is tuberculosis, or consumption. Tuberculosis, or consumption, stands for filth, neglect or ignorance, whether it is found in the homes of the poor or the well to do.

"The American tuberculosis exhibition appeals to the colored people to help themselves and the race from their greatest enemy and chief destroyer—consumption. We urge that you read and talk about tuberculosis and the right care of the body. We urge that you appoint committees, hold meetings, arrange for addresses, deliver sermons and teach children and adults. We urge that you make every effort, take every step and say every word that will help to down the 'great captain of death.' We urge this for your own sake and for the sake of your race."

Negroes Angry With Gomez.

The Negroes of the province of Santiago, Cuba, are much incensed over what they regard as a direct slap in their faces by President Gomez, whom they charge with having disregarded his promise made to them before the last election that they should be given 30 per cent of the public offices.

Lovinggood's Long Struggle.

Aided by Loyal People, He Built Flourishing Negro College at Austin, Tex., Amid Great Hardships. Vandalism Ceased.

The story of the founding and upward rise of the Samuel Huston college at Austin, Tex., is but the story over again of what a man of pluck, ambition and self reliance can and will do. When R. S. Lovinggood went to Austin eleven years ago with the idea of establishing an institution for the education of Negro youth, there was neither school nor scholars—only the land and the foundation walls of what is now considered to be one of the most flourishing schools in the southwest, where young colored men and women are making real progress in literary and industrial education. Mr. Lovinggood has done even more than to build up a college.

His successful solution of the race problem in the center of a cotton section larger than New England, where the colored population is more than a million, is printed on every letter, and every bit of literature that his college sends out. It is this: "Strive always to treat others better than they treat you." That is the rule that every pupil has to try to live up to.

About half the population of the town are Negroes, and in the country roundabout they outnumber the whites three to one. For nearly thirty years the colored people in Austin have struggled to establish this school. It is named after Samuel Huston, a farmer of Marengo, Ia., who long ago gave \$9,000 toward the establishment of this college. Six acres of land were purchased, and the stone basement of one building was constructed. Then, as usually happens in such cases, the money gave out. This basement stood unfinished in the beating rain and hot sunshine for sixteen years, while the colored people struggled to get more money together. The little group that had the school project close to their hearts begged day in and day out and gathered in not dollars or even dimes, but nickels and pennies from washerwomen, day laborers and farmers. There is hardly a Negro in Austin and the vicinity who has not helped to build this college. In this way \$12,000 was collected with infinite toil, and in 1898 the building that had been begun so many years ago that it was a joke among the whites was inclosed.

The white people took a greater and greater interest in the enterprise when they saw what he was accomplishing. One ex-Confederate soldier gave \$250. He said that anything that promoted peace and good will between the races was a blessing that ought to be encouraged and expanded. One building after another went up as soon as the first one had been finished. Teacher after teacher was engaged until now there are seventeen. More than sixty of the pupils have graduated in various professions and are hard at work in the world outside.

Nearly \$75,000 in all has been raised and spent in new buildings and improvements during the last ten years. There is the main building, Burroughs hall, which was finished and furnished at a cost of \$15,000; a temporary boys' hall was put up for \$800; the laundry building cost \$1,200; a dormitory was arranged for \$1,050; a fine sewer system was installed at a cost of \$2,200; a fine boys' brick building has just been completed. It is lighted by electricity and heated with hot air. It cost \$19,000. There are a printing outfit, scientific apparatus, a library of 3,000 volumes, five pianos and an organ, a cooking range, 175 iron beds, eight acres of land for a vegetable garden and dairy.

It is five blocks from the state capitol. "When the school was opened," says President Lovinggood, "some of the neighboring white people were much grieved, saying that the value of their property would be destroyed. Certain ones passing said ugly words, cut down the shrubbery, broke out the panes and threw ink bottles at the building. When I went out on my various errands, hurrying through the streets on my wheel, derisive shouts of 'A coon on a bike!' used to greet me. 'Something had to be done. We liberated. Teachers and students were advised to speak no unkind word and to do no rash act. We started out to deserve good treatment, and we succeeded. That is how we solved the much talked of and most perplexing race problem."

Little by little the best people in the town became interested in what was being done in the face of so many difficulties. Vandalism ceased. Now every one in Austin is proud of the colored college. The ablest and best white people there are among its warmest friends and supporters.

Mr. Lovinggood says: "We propose to do right, and if we do right, if we be honest, industrious, useful, patriotic citizens, pray, tell me what then? Shall the righteous be forsaken and their seed beg bread? Shall we be denied the rights of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness and all that these involve? My faith in the American people compels the statement that all will be well. A good white man and a good black man will get along well together. A correct solution of the race problem depends upon the development of good men and women of both races who will mete out to each other a 'square deal.' It is upon this conception of its proper solution that the efforts of Samuel Huston college to solve the race problem here are based."

HAITI'S NEW MINISTER.

Two days before President Roosevelt turned over the affairs of state to President Taft, Hon. H. Paulus Sannon, the new Haitian minister to the United States, presented his credentials and was officially received. Complimentary greetings were exchanged by the representative from Haiti and Mr. Roosevelt.

Mr. Sannon is eminently qualified to fill the post which has been assigned him. For many years he was minister of foreign affairs in Haiti, a position which corresponds to that of secretary of state in this country. As such he was the director of the foreign policy of the Black Republic and gave orders to all her foreign ministers.

Not only by training, but by education and by nature, is Mr. Sannon well fitted for diplomatic honors. The best schools of Haiti and France were attended by him, and such environments added to the dignity and culture with which nature had endowed this dark skinned gentleman, who at thirty-eight finds himself representing his government at Washington, holding his own among the members of one of the most brilliant diplomatic corps in the world.

The Haitian government provides for his minister here in keeping with the dignity of his official station. He entertains lavishly in the beautiful le-

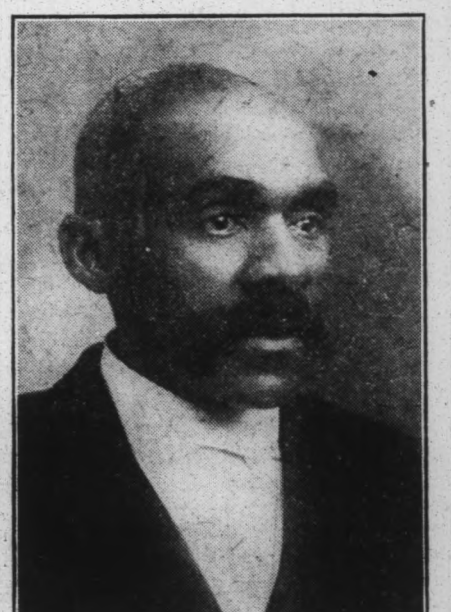


H. PAULUS SANNON.

gation in fashionable Rhode Island avenue and attends all the state functions given at the White House and the official receptions given by the members of the diplomatic circle.

To keep up this expensive yet necessary legation the Haitian government allows its minister \$13,000 per annum. With such a princely salary Minister Sannon will experience no difficulty in the way of making a favorable impression at Washington.

The joint committee from the lodge and courts of the Knights of Pythias, held its final meeting last Sunday and all arrangements for the anniversary sermon are complete. Services will be held at Bethel church at 2 o'clock, and as usual there will be street parade, the members assembling at the church. Special musical numbers will be rendered and the ser-



mon will be preached by the Rev. R. D. Leonard, of Union Tabernacle; the Pythian address will be delivered by Dr. H. W. Armistead, while Mrs. O. H. Morgan will represent the Courts and Gen. Wilkes the Uniform Ranks. On account of the Supreme Encampment this year at Kansas City, the collection was voted to the Uniform Ranks. The public is invited to be present.

AX MAY STRIKE HOOSIERS

Washington, March 22—The report was circulated in Washington today that in the shakeup in the diplomatic service Indiana would lose her two members of the diplomatic corps, James F. Stutesman, minister to Bolivia, and Henry W. Furniss, minister to Haiti.

In the event these men are let out of the service Indiana will get 2 other ministers, as she is entitled to that many under the rules in the distribution of the diplomatic posts to the several states.

Mr. Stutesman has not been in the service long. He was appointed on recommendation of former Representatives Overstreet and Landis.

Mr. Furniss is an Indianapolis colored man who worked his way up through various grades of the foreign service to the place he now holds.

Free Vacation Trip

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The Recorder's Second Popular Contest Starts and the Ladies Are to Enjoy a Free Trip.

Do you want a vacation trip this summer with all expenses, including railroad and Pullman fares, steamship and berths, board and lodging and sightseeing expenses all prepaid? Yes? Well that is the gift of The Recorder to the five most popular young ladies of our race. Don't you think that it is a grand offer, and will make for The Recorder thousands of friends in this and adjoining States? That's all we're asking for; the pleasure of keeping our old friends, and the opportunity to make many new ones.

The Recorder is the leading and best race journal in Indiana. It has a larger city and state circulation than all the others combined. The key to newspaper success is circulation. For each thousand readers a paper's efficiency is thereby increased. If only one half of the Colored citizens of Indiana, to say nothing of adjoining states were Recorder readers, this paper would be second to none. Will you help us?

Travel is education and when combined with the pleasures of jovial companionship and friends, less the worry and expense, incident thereto; it is appreciable to the highest degree. We will send the five most popular young ladies on such a trip, with nothing to do but enjoy themselves and be happy. And The Recorder readers will select the ladies by their votes. As in our previous contest, it will be a fair field and no favors. The vote will be published each week and all ballots voted will be kept. Regular ballots will appear weekly and are good for one vote, special ballots will be given with paid-in-advance subscriptions, either old or new. Delays are dangerous, so don't wait for tomorrow. Enter the contest today so that your friends may work for your success. This is an election where the women not only vote but fills all of the offices as well. Every young lady has an equal chance for success, for out of the five selected not more than three can reside in Indianapolis. The other two will be the two highest outside of Indianapolis. Votes will be credited to any contestant desired by the subscriber. Remember that special ballots will win the day. For 1 year subscription 100 votes; For 6 months subscription, 50 votes; for 3 months subscription 25 votes.

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Susie Williams, Indianapolis,	384
Theresa Lewis, Indianapolis,	273
Florence Boyd, Portland, Ind.,	207
Annie Brown, Indianapolis,	187
Fannie Black, Indianapolis,	100
Myrtle Tate, Portland, Ind.,	85
Bertha Thompson, Indianapolis,	82
Dove Barbour, Indianapolis,	76
Edna Mae Lewis, Mt. Vernon,	76
Mayme L. Hunter, Indianapolis,	75
Leola Jackson, Indianapolis,	67
Flossie Snell, Indianapolis,	60
Mary Hagood, Indianapolis,	7
Bertha Carter, Westfield,	1
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The Shortage in Army Officers.

In his report for 1938 Secretary Wright urged legislation to provide for 600 additional officers in the regular army. Losses by death, retirement and resignation have caused a shortage, which hampers the service. The Military academy at West Point is prepared to train and graduate each year about two cadets to every million inhabitants, but owing to lack of material it graduates only half that number. This year there were 491 candidates for cadetships and only 143 admissions, the rejections being for physical or mental incapacity or for both combined. There has been a shortage for the past five years, for which the superintendent of the academy accounts, in part, as follows:

It may be the more remunerative opportunities in business that are diverting young men from a military career or it may be that, as the country is larger and busier and more occupied with commercial pursuits, many young men who would make proper class material for West Point do not know of its existence. It is surprising how little is known about the Military academy by young men from seventeen to twenty-one years of age throughout the country or at least how little is known as to the proper method of procuring an appointment.

Each congressional district is entitled to appoint one cadet every four years, and each state is entitled to two at large additional. All the expenses of the cadet are borne by the government, and he is certain of a commission at graduation.

If presidents must be inaugurated on the 4th of the month we might swap and have a sane and glorious independence day in March and a perfectly lovely inauguration day in July.

Tests show that the "soft sandstone" bed under the proposed Gatun dam, which is to be the saving feature of the lock type canal, won't hold up water.

A slugger may "just ache" to get in the ring to punish some other slugger and then break his own aching record when he gets out.

The glory of a "two billion dollar congress" can easily be overtopped by the congress that raises the Maine.

How it happened that the rules were smashed and Cannon saved will long be a mystery of the special session.

Immigration is not responsible for the Black Hand. Big holes in our steerage sieve cause the trouble.

Taft's tariff message was so short that everybody reread it and took in the sense as well as the words.

A Social Danger Signal.

The studies of industrial conditions in Pittsburg, which have been printed with illustrations of types in Charities and the Commons recently, furnish ammunition for Socialist orators and texts for the pulpit and press everywhere in America. Pittsburg can say with Topsey, the slave girl, "I jes' growed." Orders poured in, and mills and mines were crowded and enlarged to increase the output. All sorts of men were hurried in to do the work, and all sorts of women followed after. There was no time to be particular as to the conditions under which men worked, how they were housed, nor the depth of squalor or degree of ignorance prevailing.

Pittsburg is only a type. The Brooklyn Eagle says, "It acts as a danger signal for our American civilization." The city is advised to clean up and reduce its death rate and criminal record. But conditions similar, if not in all respects as bad, exist in every great industrial center. Greed for riches and the pleasure they will buy usually fosters allegiance to the motto, "After us the deluge." The few noble rich cannot undo the evil caused by the thoughtless rich, who think that their whole duty lies in paying the laborer his hire.

The success of savings bank insurance in Massachusetts has led the New York legislature to plan a system that will give insurance at cost to people of small income. It is intended to have a policy provide life insurance and old age insurance on premium payments as low as 25 cents a month.

There are more railroad stockholders in the country now than a year ago, but the average value of the individual holding is less, proof that a panic can act as a distributor of wealth.

British aeroplane builders guarantee their machines to stay in the air twenty minutes. It takes about that long to soar high enough for a thorough smash in the downcoming.

Now a pretender to the throne of Morocco wants to drive off the pretender who got there. Probably a third pretender is training up in the ranks of No. 2.

Every woman in the land follows the fashion, but that doesn't prevent thousands from lagging ten or twenty years behind the flighty dame.

The hat exclusion law for church ought to be lost in admiration on Easter Sunday and stay lost the whole day.

CHURCH NOTES.

Colored Organization.

We are living in an age of organization, and the negro constituted, in possession of the same faculties, with sense, reason and perception as all other men, find ourselves conforming to the law under which all men act. Thus, he the Negro comes upon the scene in the act of the 20th century, with life philosophy and hope and power to see the depth of space. The colored men of Franklin have organized a club known as the men's improvement association, organized for protection, intellectual, moral and social uplift of the race. The club will have a reading room, open daily. The world needs to know of the possibilities of a race of much dispersed.

Rev. Robt. G. Langford, evangelist of the North Ohio Conference A. M. E. Church, after ten days series of meetings throughout Indiana, closed his successful tour at Noblesville last Sunday, where he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Woodard Stewart.

Metropolitan Baptist Church.

Services at Metropolitan Baptist church, L. R. Mitchell, pastor, Sunday school 10 a. m., attendance good; collection 64c Sermon at 11 a. m. by Elder Perry who delivered an excellent discourse from the text "God with us" The B. Y. P. U. attendance was 25; collection 22c Sermon at 8 p. m. by the pastor. Tomorrow is Rally day, Rev. K. Warren will preach at 3 p. m. and the choir from Jones Tabernacle will sing. The public's aid is solicited.

A large crowd attended the meeting of the "Men of Broadway" last Sunday. The attendance tested the seating capacity of Allen Chapel. Tomorrow, Rev. W. G. Everson, pastor of the College Avenue Baptist church will be the speaker. These meetings are held every Sunday afternoon at Allen Chapel, for men only at 3:30 p. m.

Services at Olivet Baptist church tomorrow, the pastor Dr. K. Warren will baptize at 9 a. m., in the pool of the church, for the first time. Sunday school at 10 a. m., Chas. W. Poole superintendent. Fellowship and the Lord's Supper at 12 m. Young People's meeting at 7 p. m. Miss Harriet Clark, pres. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. All are cordially invited.

At the call meeting of the Second Baptist church, Tuesday evening, it was decided to continue services at True Reformers Hall, until further notice. Service begin promptly at 2 o'clock, in charge of Rev. W. Wines Jr. By order of the church, Pompey Ward, Moderator and A. S. Johnson church clerk.

The Sunday programs at the Flanner Guild have been discontinued until Fall. All arrangements for the entertainment at Tomlinson Hall, April 14 are complete and a large crowd is assured. The Y. M. C. A. basketball game, a Foot ball team and Flanner Guild Zouaves will be a part of the program.

The E. B. Delaney Missionary society met Friday with Mrs. Mary Copland in Hudson street. The next meeting April 12th will be with Mrs. Hattie Knox 511 N. West street. An interesting program has been arranged and the public is invited to attend.

Tour of Field Secretary
 Mrs. Rosella B. Robinson, Field Secretary for the Baptist Woman's State Convention will start on her tour over the State, March 30th, in the interest of the work. She predicts that the Convention which meets in June at Franklin, will be the greatest in the history of the Baptist women of Indiana. The transportation committee has been appointed to secure special



coaches for the delegates who are coming in large numbers from all parts of the State. Mrs. Robinson appreciates the present sent by the missionary ladies of McFarland Baptist church of Evansville, a beautiful ladies text bible, which is valued highly by the recipient. It is the Book of books, its origin is divine and its end is salvation and life eternal.

Religious Thought.

EDITED BY HENRY J. CALLIS, D. D.

Our Religion, Its Author, What it Is, And What It Will Do.

Continued from last week.

ITS ETHICS
 That the ethics of our religion are the most sublime; this the most cultured mind outside of the pale of Christianity admits. A noted Chinaman said not long ago that the standard of living laid down by Jesus was too high for human living. But His ethics were not the results of His reasoning as to how man should live. The rules which He has given for the guidance of human conduct are such as must be followed if ideal manhood be attained.

There is not one of those rules that can be discarded without impairing character and lessening the true filicity of the soul. And hence the standard of character erected by our religion is not a variable one; it does not change with circumstances; the opinions of men do not effect it; it is not one thing in America and another thing in Africa. The situations of life do not modify it. It is not one thing for the rich and another for the beggarman; it is not one thing for the ruler and other for the subject; it is always the same.

Its rules of conduct for the inner man as well as the outer. It takes motives and desires into account, and declares that the man is, in his character, what he is in his soul. The moral requirements of our religion extend to the whole man. It has no left any part of him to be guarded by his own reasoning. Now since it is necessary for us to live according to the ethical teachings of our religion in order to the attainment of the highest character, it is evident that all who most earnestly strive to live thus attain a higher statute of manhood than those whose standard of morality is inferior to that of our religion. And this explains the indisputable fact that all who live according to the teachings of our religion as to the conduct of life, possess the grandest characters found among men. Our religion has not only the sublime rules for the conduct of human life, it has a living example of who those rules may be followed. The founder of our religion is Himself the great pattern of men to copy after. He has embodied His teachings as to how men should live in His own life, thus showing them the possibility of living a high life, and the beauty of character that is the out come of such living. But more than this, our religion offers a nature to all the aspiration of which shall be to attain in character the measure of the statute of the perfect man in Christ Jesus. What a contrast between the moral principles of our religion and those that governed, and do still govern, the followers of their faith. Rome conquered the world. Civilization attained its highest point under her dominancy. But what was the moral character of her people? Does her history show that she was governed in her social, family, political life by high and elevating principles? Her noblest philosophy of living was expressed by her stoicism; but no great number of her people cared to follow that philosophy. Epicureans influenced the multitude to follow him by his teaching that happiness was life's chief good; and that to acquire such should be its chief end. From the followers of such teaching what might be expected? Was it any wonder that many of its disciples under its guise performed abhorrent crimes and lived most diabolical lives? Mighty as was Rome in arms, her moral principles overcame her. The empire of the Caesars was crisscrossed with the blood of infants. The human beings of inferior rank were treated in the most beastly fashion; the slave was branded with a hot iron; while the Roman lady when in a passion hesitated not to vent her rage by sticking her hair pin in the quivering flesh of her slave. Look at the moral rules laid down in all the religions for the guidance of man's conduct and it will soon be seen that acts are favored by those Jesus that degrade the human being. But what a contrast to this is the fact that no act is allowed by our religion that offends against the highest conception of the most enlightened mind as to how men should conduct themselves. No act that is injurious to the actor, hurtful to his fellowman, or offensive to God is tolerated by our religion.

The ethics of our religion are so sublime that in order to be governed by them it is necessary to have a nature that is heavenly in its origin. That its rules of high living manifest themselves in noble character, there must be more than a mere copying of their habits to life, they must become the habits of the soul. The sublimity of the ethics of our religion is one of the mighty arguments of its divinity, and the conformity of the life of a man to its rules for righteous living, making him such an argument for the same fact, as to shut the mouths of the bitterest opposers.

WHAT IT WILL DO.
 When it is accepted it works a wonderful change in the life. Springtime does not work a more acceptable change in the landscape than does the religion of Jesus Christ, in the heart of him who accepts it. The drunkard gives up his cup and becomes sober; the unjust in his dealings with his fellows becomes a lover of justice; the profane man becomes reverential; and the sensual in life become pure in conduct. The great feature of the religion of Jesus is the marvelous change it works in the lives of all who accept it. The critic of our religion says why do we not have wonders done to day to prove its divinity? The miracles we talk about, he says, were wrought long years ago; why not give us some modern evidence of the reasonableness of the claims we make? The miracles of Christianity were wonders wrought performed by our Lord where he was among men. But though He does make the blind to see and the lame to walk, He is yet doing great wonders. Turning a bad man into a good one is a vastly more important work than giving eyes to the blind. It is a greater display of divine power to make a man new creature than it is to awaken the dead from the slumbers of the grave.

And how quickly appears in him who accepts this religion. It takes the painter a long while to bring his ideal out on the canvas. It takes the sculptor many a day to turn the marble block into the image he has in his mind; but, immediately on receiving the religion of Christ a change takes place in the recipient that often causes wonder. We are not ashamed of our religion, for it is the power of God unto salvation. There is no religion of man's device that such elevating power on the hearts and lives on its disciples. The religions of the earth are not in their influence elevating to men. But let any man accept the religion of Jesus Christ, and it will so change his nature that he will have the experience of new creature—old things shall pass away, and behold all things become new.

Senate Is Organized at Bethel
 Bethel Junior C. E. society has arranged to conduct a Senate for the purpose of considering all bills passed by the recent Legislature, that directly affect the colored race. The first session will be held next Wednesday eve at 8 o'clock, and the Sunkey Base ball bill will come before the House for discussion. The public is invited to participate in these meetings.

W. P. Scott returned home from Marion the first of the week.

Complaint for Divorce

State of Indiana, Marion County, ss: In the Superior Court of Marion County in the State of Indiana, No. 7691.

MARY E. STARKS vs. ALONZO STARKS. BEIT KNOWN, That on the 12 day of March 1939 the above named plaintiff by her attorney, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Marion County in the State of Indiana, his complaint against the above named defendant, Alonzo Starks and the said plaintiff having also filed in said Clerk's office the affidavit of a competent person showing that said defendant is not a resident of the State of Indiana, and that action is for divorce and said defendant is a necessary party thereto, and whereas said plaintiff has filed said complaint and said defendant has answered or demurred thereto on the 5th day of May, 1939.

Now, Therefore, by order of said Court said defendant, last above named, is hereby notified of the filing and pendency of said complaint against her, and that unless she appear and answer or demurs thereto, the calling of said cause on the 5th day of May, 1939 the same being the 3rd judicial day of term of said Court, she will be held in default of appearance in the City of Indianapolis on the First Monday in May, 1939, said complaint and the matters and things therein contained and alleged, will be heard and determined in her absence.

LEONARD M. QUILL, Clerk
 Jas. T. V. Attorney for plaintiff.
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Hiawatha Entertainment

One of the most potent affairs undertaken by local colored talent will be a pantomime production of Longfellow's "Hiawatha," given April 26th, for the benefit of the Woman's Improvement Club, Fresh Air Camp. The play has been arranged by Mrs. Leo K. Fesler, but is under the management of Mrs. W. E. Brown, who is training the company in the pantomimes, for which she will also do the reading.

Five scenes in the life of Hiawatha will be portrayed—the childhood, a nan hood, wrestle with Mondamin, the wedding feast, and the death of Minnehaha. Much of the music will be S. Coleridge Taylor's composition, and the chorus work will be particularly beautiful.

The affair promises to be a great social event aside from its educational value. The cast of characters is as follows:

Hiawatha..... Mark Batties
 Nokomis..... Mrs. J. T. V. Hill
 Minnehaha..... Mrs. Aletha Crossen Bird, Arrow Maker....

Eugene Reed
 Adridge Lewis
 Miss Gertrude Kyle
 Mrs. Maude Bass Beatty
 Indiana maidens—Misses Locklear, Nettie Walker, Myrtle Broadie
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Brig. Gen. George D. Wilkes has announced the following officers of his staff:

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 Major X. E. Bailey
 Major Yarmouth Wigginton.
 Major J. R. Alexander.
 Major S. J. R. Peters
 Major William A. Smith.

The Bethel Christian Endeavor society meets at 6:30 p. m. Sunday Topic, "Great Missionary Books, home and foreign," Isa. 62:6-12. Everybody is invited to attend these meetings.

The Y. C. W. P. A. Vesper service will be held at Shiloh Baptist church Sunday at 5 p. m. instead of 3:30 as before. This change is made to avoid conflict with Communion services

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 Since you have gone from my fireside so bright;

You whom I loved so fondly, so dearly
 Oh, how I miss you, my darling tonight
 Just a few years we spent, dearest,
 loved one together;

Many hours had I anxiously waited
 for thee,
 But, also, I shall greet your sweet
 smiles again, never,

The sweet face I loved I shall never
 never see.
 How many times have I welcomed
 you home, dear;

How oft have I bid you good by at the
 door,
 I could never forget you, my own
 dearest treasurer,

But, alas shall I see you, my husband,
 no more?
 The pride of my life, my joy beyond
 measure,

Yes, I will meet you again, on that
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The parent's club of school No. 42, of North Indianapolis, will hold their next monthly meeting at Barnes Chapel April 1st. The following program will be rendered: Selection by choir. Paper, Mrs. C. McMurray. Solo, Miss L. Montague. Address, Rev. Clay Trusty Quartet, J. Hines and others. Paper, Mrs. C. F. Jones. Pres, Mrs. F. Willitt; Sec, Mr. U. G. Allen.

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Friends have been informed of the marriage of Mary McDayd and Jerry McAfee.

There is a letter at this office for Mrs. Mary Linsey. Please call or send for the same.

The Friends Club will meet next Wednesday evening with Mrs. Viney Carvin, 512 W. 14th street.

Mrs. Margaret Lyons, 843 Ogden st. is improving from a recent illness.

A few choice boxes yet remain for the Summer League's annual minstrel On sale at The Recorder office.

Mrs. Evelyn Hart has sold her property at 907 Jefferson ave. for a good price.

Quite a number of visiting K. of P. were in the city last Sunday.

Elmer Hill, Martin Dean and Timothy Hoosier, three prominent citizens of New Castle were in the city Sunday.

Mrs. Nancy Swaett of Atlanta, Ind. R. R. No. 20, will observe her 42nd anniversary on March 30, and wishes to be remembered with a post card from friends.

The Friendship club No. 20, meets next Tuesday eve, with Mrs. Henry Woodruff, 436 W. 17th street.

A parlor musical will be given at the residence of Miss Agnes King 229 W. 14th street, Thursday eve, Apr. 15, for the benefit of the Mt. Zion Baptist church. Misses Herlena Sharp and Agnes King are arranging the affair.

The Womans Club will meet with Mrs. Roxie Dickson 802 N. California street, Monday afternoon.

Col. W. J. I. Reed will deliver the anniversary address to Pride of Shelby ville lodge and Court, Knights of Pythias, Sunday afternoon.

The East-End Needle club met with Mrs. Anna Estes, 608 N. West street Friday afternoon.

Mr. Wm. Haydon has opened the Family grocery, fish and game market at 926 Fayette street, and will be glad to have a share of your patronage.

J. Cleage, 910 Fayette street is running an oil wagon.

Mrs. Anna Blair, a respected and former resident of Indianapolis, now living in Pasadena, Cal., suffered a paralytic stroke on March 18, and is in a serious condition. She has many friends here and is a member of Leah Chapter No. 2, Order Eastern Star.

A public reception will be given in honor of Robt. T. Ridley, Grand Traveling Deputy of the United States and Canada, by Indiana Lodge No. 104 I. P. O. Elks of W. at Masonic hall, opposite Park Theater, Monday evening, March 29.

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The Dance of the Fairies, an entertainment under the direction of Mrs. Ellen Posey, for the benefit of the Woman's Improvement Club, will be given in Flanner Guild hall, Wednesday evening, March 31st. About forty of our children are in three drills planned and the affair promises to be very entertaining indeed. The admission is 10c, the proceeds of which will be used by the club for its Fresh Air Camp, located near Oakhill. It is the purpose of the club, with the cooperation of the citizens of Indianapolis, to extend its work this year so as to maintain a rest mission somewhat on the order of the Fairview settlement. Let every one help us.

Mrs. Georgia Fisher, president and Bessie Lowe, secretary.

A full dress ball will be given by eight young ladies, including Mrs. Maud Farr, Esther Warner, Katie Bell, Misses Thea Lewis, Elenia Smith, Minnie Norris, Hattie Smith and Neoma Cook, Wednesday night, March 31st, at Odd Fellow's hall. This promises to be the swellest affair given in this city for some time.

333 Grand Entertainment 333

A beautiful quilt and bed spread will be given away by the ladies of Pride of the North Tabernacle, No. 94, Thursday evening, May 27, '09, at Capital hall, corner Capital avenue and Merrill street, can be seen at H. L. Sanders, 206 Indiana avenue.

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Mrs. Emma D. Person, H. P. Miss E. Ledura Jones, C. R., Mrs. Rev. Dr. Glennie Johnson, V. P.

The St. Patrick entertainment prize was won by Miss M. Echels.

Miss Mary Childs, who was painfully burned about a month ago, is slowly improving.

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The Recorder desires to correct the erroneous statement in our last issue announcing the Fairies would dance at Flanner Guild, which should have read the Dance of the Fairies a musical play and not a dance.

The J. C. Price Literary society met last night with Miss Lyles Baxter

Thomas Curd, 821 Fayette st., after a weeks illness is improving.

Mrs. Edward Caldwell of Louisville attended the funeral of Alfreda Evans last Monday.

Mrs. William Douglass, 718 Indiana ave. is on the sick list.

Indiana lodge No. 104, I. P. O. Elks will give a public reception in honor of Robt. T. Ridley, Grand Traveling Deputy of the United States and Canada, and installation of officers, at Masonic Hall, Monday evening. Music by Theo. Ellis full orchestra.

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5 room 854 Chicago st. \$8.50
2 rooms, 976 Colton street, rear 4.00.
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